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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRUSSELS 05140

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, PINR, CG, BE
SUBJECT: ZAIRIAN COUP PLOT TRIAL: MARC LETTER TO AMBASSA-
DOR CUTLER, WITH COPIES TO PRESIDENT CARTER AND AMBASSADOR
CHAMBERS

1. WE RECEIVED BY MAIL MARCH 13 UNDER COVER OF LETTER TO
THE AMBASSADOR A COPY OF A LETTER FROM MARC LEADER
MONGUYA TO AMBASSADOR CUTLER (COPY DISTRIBUTION ALSO
INCLUDED PRESIDENT CARTER). WE HAVE POUCHED COPIES
OF WHAT WE RECIEVED TO DEPARTMENT (AF/C JUNIOR) AND
EMBASSY KINSHASA.

2. MONGUYA LETTER MAKES THE USUAL MARC ALLEGATIONS ABOUT
MOBUTU'S INEFFICIENCY AND CORRUPTION AS WELL AS STANDARD
SUGGESTION THAT MARC LEADERSHIP COULD BRING LIBERTY,
DEMOCRACY AND PROSPERITY TO ZAIRE. MONGUYA STATES THAT
SEVERAL OF HIS PEOPLE ARE CURRENTLY ON TRIAL IN
KINSHASA AND VOWS THAT MARC WILL CONTINUE TO SEEK THE
OVERTHROW OF MOBUTU. ON THE QUESTION OF U.S. INVOLVEMENT
IN PLOT, MONGUYA WRITES AS FOLLOWS: "AS TO THE ACCUSA-
TIONS OF AMERICAN COMPLICITY IN THE IMAGINED KINSAHSA
COUP D'ETAT, YOU KNOW BETTER THAN WE THAT AN AMERICAN
DIPLOMAT NEVER WAS INVOLVED IN THAT AFFAIR. IT IS ALL
POLITICAL BLACKMAIL AGAINST THE UNITED STATES ON THE
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PART OF MOBUTU, SOMETHING AT WHICH HE IS AN OLD HAND."
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